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BRIEFING PAPER FOR THE PRESIDENT'S PRESS CONFERENCE

August 20, 1963

SUBJECT: Soviet Military Presence in Cuba.

QUESTION:

Do you have any real hope the Soviets will withdraw their troops from Cuba?

BACKGROUND:

USIB estimate being supplied separately.

SUGGESTED POINTS IN REPLY:

Our intelligence indicates that Soviet troop withdrawals from Cuba are continuing. SInce I last spoke with you about this matter in April, a few thousand more Soviet military personnel have left Cuba while only a few hundred have entered the country. Our information indicates that training of Cubans has become the principal task of the remaining Soviet military personnel in Cuba. We would expect that the process of reduction would continue during the months ahead as training missions are completed.